

Huns Continue To Retreat

GERMANS FIGHT WITH BACK TO SOMME RIVER

London, Aug. 29.—The Germans are now fighting with their backs to the Somme.

In their advance yesterday, the French swept forward an additional six miles on a front of about 25 miles, capturing 40 villages and reaching the new German defenses on the Somme from Cizancourt, five miles south of Peronne, to the vicinity of Noyon. Part of this line is formed by the Somme and the remainder by the north canal.

Joining this operation on the north, the British made an appreciable advance on both sides of the Somme—where it flows in a westerly direction—capturing Curlu, north of the river and reaching the line of Herbecourt, four miles west of Peronne and Fresnes, five miles south of Herbecourt, south of the river.

British troops also continued their program between Bapaume and the Scarpe, capturing Croisilles and advancing to Vaulx-Vraucourt, five miles northwest of Bapaume. More than 10 miles of the Hindenburg line is now in British hands. The French now operate along the Oise, captured Suzev, Point L'Eveque, Vauchelles and Porquericourt, approaching to within nearly a mile of Noyon on the west.

Between the Oise and the Aisne, American troops repulsed several counter attacks near Juvigny, four miles north of Soissons.

REPUBLICANS SWAMP FORD IN MICHIGAN

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 29.—Figures early today show no relative change in the United States senatorial primaries race, Henry Ford having easily won the democratic nomination and lost the republican nomination by a heavy vote.

Reports from 1,946 precincts out of the total of 2,187 in this state show Ford, 53,373; Newberry, 100,300 and Osborne, 40,117.

In the race for the democratic senatorial nomination the same precincts show Ford 18,601 and Helme, 6,137.

OVER 26,000 HUNS TAKEN SINCE AUG. 21

London, Aug. 29.—German prisoners taken since Aug. 21, total more than 26,000, Field Marshal Haig announced today. In the same period more than one hundred guns have been captured.

ANY ONE HERE FROM ADA
Ada, Aug. 29.—"Anyone here from Ada, Ohio, U. S. A.?"

This call was shouted by Paul Wirthelmer, Ada, as he entered a troop train in France.

As quick as wink came this reply: "You bet your life there is," and Paul Abt, of Ada, came forward.

The two were freshmen together in the Ada high school and it was their first meeting in France.

DEMOCRATS ARE TO STAND ON SINGLE PLANK IN PLATFORM

Columbus, O., Aug. 29.—A single plank pledging a decisive winning of the war with praise for the national and state administrations for their accomplishment in that direction will be the platform on which Ohio democrats will go to the polls this fall, it seemed certain as delegates gathered here today for the state convention.

Their convention will meet at one o'clock at the Southern Hotel, with former Governor James E. Campbell as key-note speaker and temporary chairman. Senator Pomerene, who arrived here early today, will be permanent chairman and deliver a message from Washington.

Efforts of dyes, suffragists and other interests for endorsement made no headway against the oneplank idea.

Judge S. M. Douglas, Mansfield, was elected chairman on organization of the state central committee, Charles H. Graves, Toledo, was named vice chairman and Clarence H. Greer, Dayton, secretary.

Following selection of executive committee today, Patrick H. Berry, Mount Vernon, is slated to be made chairman and campaign manager.

GOVERNOR INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 29.—Gov. Goodrich, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident last night, was reported resting easy this morning. His condition is very serious. An X-Ray examination was to be made this morning to determine if he had suffered a fractured skull. This was indicated by constant hemorrhage from his left ear during the night.

MAGRUDER BARN IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Lightning set fire to the barn on the Magruder farm, between the New Burlington and Cincinnati pikes, and it burned with 75 bushels of oats and 30 tons of hay. Tuesday night, James Matthews is the tenant on the farm. Seven head of horses had been turned from the barn into a field a short time before the bolt struck the barn. Hard work on the part of volunteer fire fighters, saved the corn crib containing 200 bushels of corn, a cow barn and straw stack from following the fate of the barn.

Mrs. Magruder's loss on the barn is partially covered by \$800 insurance Mr. Matthews loss to the hay and grain, and on several sets of harness which burned is covered by insurance.

SLATED FOR SUPERINTENDENT

Marion, Aug. 29.—Rev. Jesse Swank, pastor of Epworth M. E. church here and chairman of the transportation committee of the West Ohio conference, is slated for superintendency of the Delaware district to succeed Dr. B. F. Reading, Delaware, when the conference meets in Cincinnati next month, according to reports here.

HUN AIR RAID ON HOSPITAL KILLS TWO U. S. SOLDIERS BUT COMES TOO EARLY TO GET THESE WOUNDED FIGHTERS



Wounded American soldiers arriving at hospital. German airmen recently achieved another "great victory" when they dropped bombs on the American Red Cross hospital at Jouy, France, killing two persons and injuring fourteen others. The wounded American soldiers shown in the photo would have been in danger, too, had they arrived a day earlier. The picture shows them entering the hospital. The hospital was plainly marked with the insignia and the airmen flew low enough to see the emblem easily, witnesses say.

CONGRESS EXPECTS TO SEND DRAFT BILL TO WILSON WITHIN FEW HOURS

Washington, Aug. 29.—Congress proposed to send the man-power bill to President Wilson today, the sole point to smooth out in conference was the Penrose amendment relieving registrants of the need of claiming exemption. The house and senate conferees announced last night that they had agreed. But later amended this statement by saying the Penrose amendment had to be threshed out this afternoon.

Provost Marshal General Crowder was to fight out this question with the conferees this afternoon. His office explained objections to it to the United Press in advance, and the argument he used to the conferees ran practically thus:

They present draft is an emergency rush order for men.

They must be gleaned rapidly, if the 4,000,000 army program by June is to be accomplished and victory is to be achieved next year.

And, if the government has to examine all questionnaires and determine exemption itself the 1919 victory is likely to be delayed.

In the first place Crowder's system makes it certain that a vast number of men for class one—that is men not claiming exemption and not in vital industry, will be immediately available for service.

For those who will claim exemption will be necessary only to examine one phase of the questionnaire, the registrant's grounds for exemption claim.

On the other hand, if the government had to determine the exemption it would amount to examining all the statements of all the registrants, a task of unusually vast proportions that would necessarily defeat the speed element in the bill.

Crowder and his friends worked hard all day yesterday to have the amendment killed. Today he took the fight direct to the conference and it appeared likely that the amendment would die. In any case, there was no danger that this question would delay presentation of the bill to the house and senate after they meet today. The work or fight amendment is not in the bill. House conferees absolutely refused to accept it. Senate conferees yielded for two reasons—because they did not want to delay the army program and because the present draft law contains a provision that no man's exemption shall continue after the cause for which it was granted no longer exists.

That, conferees, agreed, is clearly a work or fight provision.

An amendment was agreed to providing that the government must furnish officers' uniforms at cost, if officers request it.

The Treadway amendment, providing for the recombining of deferred classes was stricken out on the ground that it might embarrass General Crowder's plan.

The house amendment on vocational training was substituted for the senate provision. The difference is that the house amendment makes the training effective now while the senate plan was to begin it when the men below 21 who are drafted return to this country.

MORE PEACE TREATIES.

Copenhagen, Aug. 29.—Three supplementary peace treaties regarding financial and civil law were signed by German and Russian delegates at the foreign office Tuesday afternoon, according to an official dispatch received from Berlin today.

FLOYD M'INTOSH IS CLEARED OF CHARGE

Floyd McIntosh, former Xenian, arrested in Columbus a short time ago, by agents of the Department of Justice on a charge of evading the draft by refusing to register, was released by that department on proof that McIntosh was over the age limit.

The information was furnished by George Galloway of the local board, who was consulted by the Columbus authorities.

The telegram received by Mr. Galloway from head of the Department of Justice Peiffer, reads as follows:

"Pursuant to your investigation and request, we are releasing McIntosh today."

It was found by Mr. Galloway that he was over 21 at the time of registration. Relatives here say he was born December 31, 1884, which would make him 34 years of age.

G. O. P. BACKS PROHIBITION AND SUFFRAGE

Columbus, O., August 29.—Marked by the adoption of a platform that places the party unequivocally on record in support of both national and state prohibition and woman suffrage; that pledges to the nation the most intense and whole hearted loyalty in the prosecution of the war; that includes a heartfelt "greeting to the uniformed sons of the republic who are now fighting on the battlefields of war-torn Europe; that demands that price fixing be applied to the cotton planter of the south the same as to the northern farmer, and that requests immediate financial relief for cities of the state from the plight into which they have been forced by the limitations of the Smith one percent law, the Ohio State Republican convention, in session here since Tuesday, adjourned at noon, Wednesday.

The platform is regarded everywhere as the most progressive that ever has been adopted by a major party in Ohio. This is the first major party convention to go on record for woman suffrage, for prohibition and the first to recognize that the municipalities of Ohio are actually entitled to something more definite than camouflaged promises in the way of financial relief.

The suffrage plank contains only 28 words and the prohibition plank only 70, yet neither leaves room for any doubt that the party stands squarely in support of prohibition and suffrage.

The suffrage plank reads as follows:

"We favor woman suffrage and the immediate submission by congress for the action of the several states of the proposed amendment to the federal constitution granting them such rights."

The prohibition plank says: "We favor the adoption of the prohibition amendment to the state constitution and the enactment of the necessary legislation to make it effective. Advocating and supporting federal prohibition legislation as a wartime measure, we nevertheless realize that such legislation automatically repeals itself at the close of the war. Therefore, we favor the ratification of the prohibition amendment to the federal constitution as a permanent solution of the liquor question."

When Chairman Harry M. Daugherty, of the platform committee, had finished reading the platform as it had been drafted by his committee, which was in continuous session from 8:30 p. m. to 5 a. m., and had moved the adoption of the report, John V. Campbell, of Cincinnati, claimed the floor and offered a substitute for both the prohibition and the suffrage planks, the planks that the party convention adopted on these two questions in 1914.

NEWSPAPER SUPPRESSED.

Madrid, Aug. 29.—The newspaper ABC has been suppressed because it published a Berlin wireless dispatch regarding Germany's reply to the Spanish submarine note.

GERMANS EXPECTED TO RETREAT TO THE HINDENBURG LINE

The allies are within four miles of Peronne and within five miles of Ham, the most important railway centers within the Picardy salient.

French troops are reported fighting in the streets of Noyon, while the British are on the outskirts of Bapaume. The four large towns thus remaining within the big pocket are thus apparently doomed. Albert, Montdidier, Chaulnes, Nesle, Roye and Lassigny have all been reoccupied.

The Germans already have been forced back to the greater part of their new Somme defensive line between Peronne and Noyon. Nearly two thirds of the original Picardy salient has been eliminated. The only important trunk line railways still remaining in German hands are those from Noyon to LaFere and Ham, from Ham to Peronne and St. Quentin and from Bapaume to Peronne, St. Quentin and Cambrai. Apparently there was little fighting on a great portion of the battle front last night, possibly because of the recent heavy rains.

Paris, August 29.—(10:00 a. m.)—French troops are fighting in Noyon according to reports received from the battle front early today.

The town, which now forms the apex of a sharp salient, is heavily defended by machine guns. It is already out-flanked from the northwest. Speeding up their advance, the French have enlarged their hold on the west bank of the Somme canal over a wide front south of Peronne.

The German retreat is reported to have been precipitate at some points last night. There is every indication that the enemy retreat will not halt before it reaches the entire Hindenburg line, although the boches are resisting tenaciously in the vicinity of Noyon.

London, August 29.—The Germans are strongly holding the southern and western outskirts of Noyon with machine gun concentrations, according to front dispatches received here today.

The French have fully outflanked the town at Montagne-de-Porquericourt, (a mile and a half northeast).

French troops have crossed the

Noyon. Fall of that town, expected hourly, will remove the last strong defense before Guiscard, five miles to the north, it is believed.

In the district of Nesle, the fighting was extremely heavy. A huge amount of material was captured in that region.

North of Soissons, the Germans are clinging to dominating positions at Cuffies (a mile and a half north of city), and Juvigny, (where American troops are operating).

The Germans are reported to have greatly strengthened their positions in St. Gobain forest (between the Oise and the Ailette), which are regarded as already among the best defenses on the west front.

Roye-Noyon road near Sermise, (three miles northeast of Noyon) and Cantigny (two miles north of Sermise).

They have also reached the neighborhood of Cacy and Raincourt (six miles, southeast of Nesle).

The west of the Somme is in the hands of the French, from Cizancourt to Rousey-le-Petit (two miles northeast of Nesle).

THIRD OF RUSSIAN PEOPLE DOOMED TO DIE SAYS KEELEY

New York, Aug. 29.—James K. Keeley, former editor of the Chicago Herald, believes Germany will soon make an effort to restore a monarchy in Russia, and that the kaiser already has chosen the successor to Nicholas II. Keeley has just returned from a trip to Europe, made at the request of the committee on public information.

Keeley also declared it to be his belief that from one quarter to a third of the Russian working people are doomed to death from starvation and disease before next summer, due to the terrible conditions in that nation. There is no industry and no food he said. The nations gold reserve has been stolen.

DEMOCRATS HOLD CONVENTION

Columbus, Aug. 29.—Ohio Democrats gathered at the Southern Hotel here today to adopt their state platform.

Pronouncements of the Republican platform, adopted yesterday, were scanned critically by leaders. Only definite advance hint on the Democratic state platform was that it will touch heavily on winning the war.

Former Governor James E. Campbell was temporary chairman and sounded the keynote. Senator Atlee Pomerene was scheduled for permanent chairman.

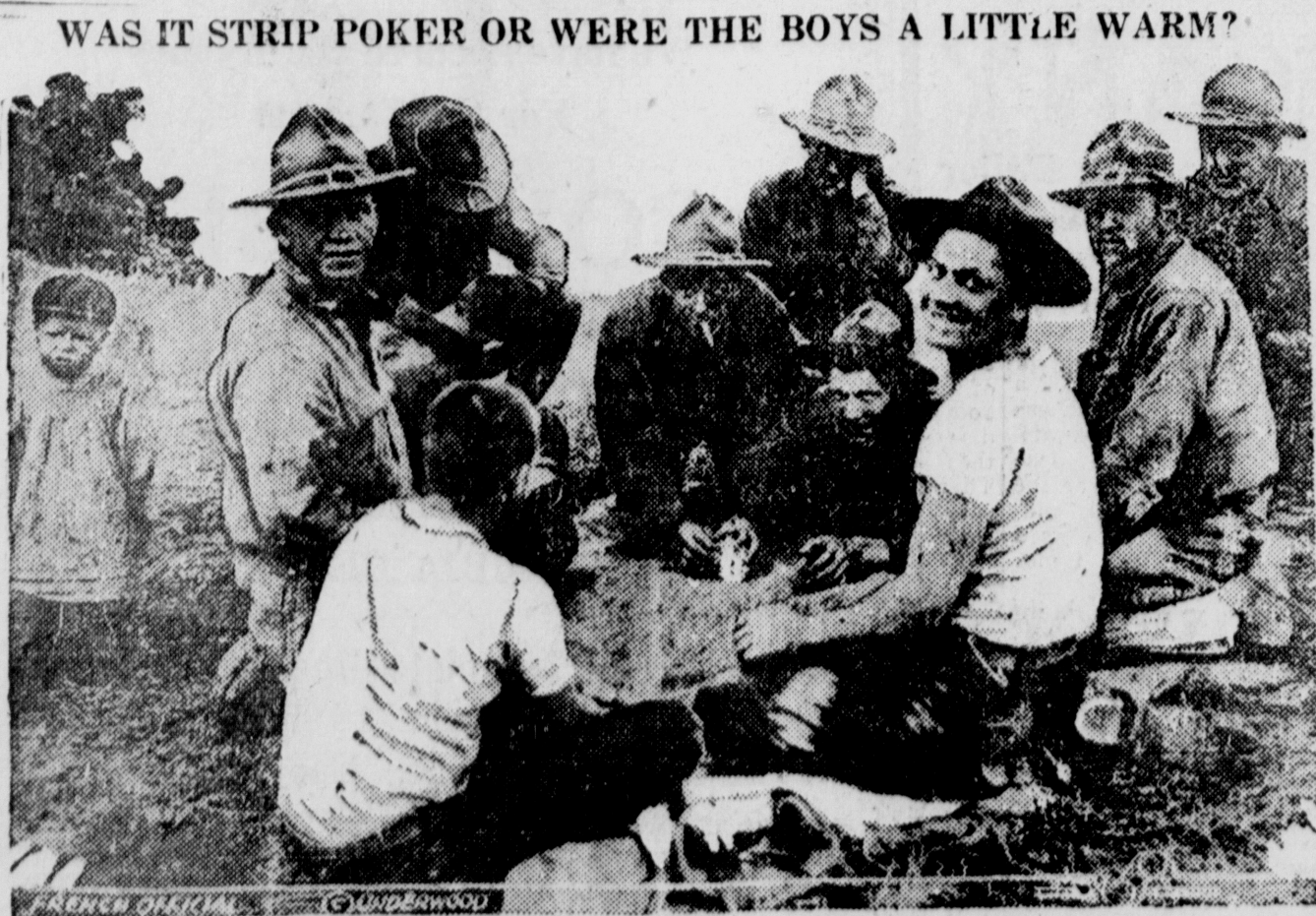
TAKE OVER EGG MARKET.

ROME, Aug. 29.—Municipal authorities took control of the local egg market today, fixing the price at ten cents each.

IS FORMOSA'S NEW GOVERNOR GENERAL.



Lieut. Gen. Akashi. Lieutenant General Motojima Akashi, commander of the Sixth Japanese Division, is the newly appointed governor general of the island of Formosa. He is on his way to take charge.



American soldiers in France certainly do enjoy themselves when they get a few moments for a smoke and a sociable little game of cards. These U. S. boys are

American soldiers in a card game.

having a good time. The fact that two of the players have lost their shirts and one has a big safety pin handy for an emergency would indicate that the game might be

strip poker. Also the presence of a horseshoe on the heel of the player's shoe would indicate he is superstitious. The little tot at the left has wandered into the camp.

Local Items

Mrs. Lester Tate and children have returned from Wilmington, where they were guests of Mrs. Tate's father, J. C. Montgomery.

The Rev. Stanley E. Bailes, who graduated last May from the local Theological Seminary, has tendered his resignation as pastor of the United Presbyterian Church in New Paris, and expects to go to California.

Miss Frances Rinck, who is a teacher in the public schools at Kent, Ohio, will be home Thursday to spend a few days before the opening of school. Miss Rinck has been attending summer school.

The Rev. and Mrs. Charles T. Walkley of East Orange, N. J., who were here on account of the illness of Mrs. Walkley's father, Judge C. C. Shearer, have returned home. Judge Shearer's condition is improving a little.

Misses Laverna and Louise Gaster, of Miller avenue, left this morning for Columbus, where they will spend several days visiting friends.

Mrs. D. E. Spahr is the guest of relatives in Van Wert. She went to that city to attend the reunion of the Powell family.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Finley and Miss Martha Finley returned Wednesday night after a delightful 10 days' stay at a resort on Black Mountain, N. C. They had the pleasure of being there with Miss Irma Finley, Y. W. C. A. secretary at Atlanta, Ga., who was spending her vacation at the resort.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Canning of West Market street, are announcing the birth, Wednesday night, of a son.

WEATHER REPORT

Fair, cooler tonight; probably partly cloudy.

First Lieutenant and Mrs. R. Kent Finley are leaving Xenia Thursday evening for Camp Greenleaf, Ga., where Lieutenant Finley will report September 1 for service in the medical corps.

Mrs. H. R. Hitchcock and children left Thursday morning for Pittsburgh, Pa., to visit her sister, Mrs. E. J. Wadsworth.

Sister Mary Josephine Criste, youngest daughter of A. D. Criste, of Cincinnati, a former Xenian, took her vows as a nun in the Order of Mercy at the convent and mother house of the order in Cincinnati, Wednesday. Sister Josephine is a niece of Mrs. Thomas Higgins of this city. She is the second member of her family to become a member of the Order of Mercy an older sister, Sister Mary Christine having been professed a nun three years ago.

Mrs. Robert Swaby, of St. Charles, Ill., arrived in Xenia Wednesday evening for a visit with her sisters, Mrs. Charles Phillips, and Miss Mary Dellahunt.

Dr. John Acheson, who delivered a patriotic address at the First M. E. church Tuesday night, was a guest while in the city of Dr. and Mrs. Reed Madden.

Isaac Evans was taken ill several days ago while in Cincinnati, where he had motored with Mrs. Evans and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Mendenhall. Mr. and Mrs. Evans returned home by rail, leaving the rest of the party in the city. Mr. Evans has been confined to his bed ever since his return.

Mrs. R. M. Neeld, who was very ill for the last week or so, was able to be down stairs yesterday for the first time.

Miss Lulu Thomas, who has been the guest of Captain and Mrs. Ostermaier at Wilberforce, came to Xenia Thursday for a visit with Mrs. C. W. Adair, of North Galloway street.

Mrs. Goulard, who is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Adair, has gone to Cincinnati for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mr. John O'Brien and his daughters, Misses Clara and Alice, expect to go to Felicely, O., tomorrow to visit Mr. O'Brien's brother, Mr. Patrick O'Brien.

Miss Katherine Daley, of Cincinnati, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Daley and other relatives.

Marcus Shoup, chairman of the Greene County Republican executive committee, and J. K. Williamson, chairman of the central committee, were delegates to the state convention in Columbus Tuesday and Wednesday. H. E. Schmidt, George H. Birch and R. O. Wead were among those attending the convention.

Miss Dorothy Riddle, who has spent several weeks as the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, City Manager and Mrs. Kenyon Riddle, will start for her home in Harrington, Kan., Saturday morning.

Mr. Thomas Spencer and sister had as their guests Monday night, Mrs. J. Knox Montgomery, son and daughter, Mrs. Grace Moore and baby of New Concord, Kan., J. A. Renwick of Topeka, Kan., Mrs. John Cisco, of Columbus, who had been visiting their former home in Adams county and attending the North Liberty fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Kyle of Cedarville, who have spent the past week in Southern Ohio, returned home Monday, having attended the North Liberty fair at Cherry Fork Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Weaver of the Wilmington pike is in Columbus, at the bedside of her father Mr. F. H. Johnson who is very ill. Mr. Johnson has been an invalid for almost five years from a fall on the ice which broke his hip. He is now very low with Bright's Disease, with no hopes of his recovery.

"On my way to Berlin." This is the message on cards received by local friends from Captain Charles L. Darlington. They were mailed after he had left Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., for an eastern camp.

Relative of Jesse A. Mason of Whiteman street, have received word that he has arrived safely over seas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sohn went to Columbus Tuesday to bid good bye to Mr. Sohn's nephew, Cletus Smith, who is in the service and who leaves for France Thursday. They returned home Wednesday.

Miss Margaret Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Davis of South Detroit St., who has been on an extended visit with friends and relatives in Hebron, Ind., and Chicago, returned home Wednesday evening.

M. D. Flack of R. R. No. 5, out of this city has received word from his son Corporal John T. Flack, who is in France. The young man has just been made a member of the Military Police. His address is "Co. M, 365th Inf., A. E. F., via New York."

Miss Jean B. Elwell, returned Wednesday night from Chautauqua, N. Y., where she has been located all summer pursuing special work.

The ladies working on the Comfort Kits will meet tomorrow, Friday, at the Court house, to finish the kits. The rooms will be open at 9 a. m.

Mrs. Jennie Ankeney Hurty of Columbia, Mo., who has been visiting relatives and friends in Xenia, for several weeks, will start for her home Friday evening.

Mrs. Chalmers W. Murphy has gone on to Washington to be with her husband for a time before he is definitely assigned. Lieut. Murphy is in the construction division of the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perfect and their son, Frederick of Ft. Wayne, are expected here Friday for a visit with Mrs. H. H. Eavey and Mrs. George R. Schuster. They will motor from Ft. Wayne.

Cook Food Thoroughly.
Botulism is not a new disease. The bacillus as discovered and named by Van Ermengen years ago, when a German orgy of half-raw foods had caused an outbreak of sausage poisoning. Ermengen found whole colonies of the bacilli in a ham which as yet had not decomposed. The bacillus, he proved, is dangerous, whether admitted by way of the alimentary canal or subcutaneously. Kampner prepared an effective antitoxin, but the grand preventive is thorough cooking of food. Germany stayed her horrible plague of trichinosis when she began to cook smoked ham before eating it.

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Thirty-two men left Xenia for Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., at 2:35 Thursday afternoon. The men entrained on a special train on the Pennsylvania railroad.

Clarence Rayner Chatfield, storekeeper, Xenia.

Fred Hull, laborer, Xenia.

John Koscoe McCorkle, railroad construction, Cedarville.

Edgar Alden Brown, farmer, R. R. 2, Yellow Springs.

Samuel Theodore Shaffer, farmer, Clifton.

Charles Earl Hamilton, plumber, Xenia.

Charles Nelson Stretcher, sheet metal worker, Clifton.

William Rife Collins, teacher R. R. 2, Cedarville.

Raymond Bankard Wilson, chauffeur, Xenia.

Clark Anthony Moses Stethem, Xenia.

Harry Francis Sadders, Jamestown.

William Warren Vannorsdall, Xenia.

Jacob Diehl, Osborn.

Clarence Kenneth Horen, Xenia.

Frederick Lewis Zellars, R. R. 8, Dayton.

Pearl Morgan Hiles, R. R. 2, Xenia.

Warren Jackson Barber, 148 Salem avenue, Dayton.

Floyd McKinley Sprackler R. R. 2, Cedarville.

Lawrence Raymond Brush, R. R. 1, Xenia.

George Brunt 1916 W. Third St., Dayton.

Charles Miller, Xenia.

Arthur Alonzo Hardy, Jamestown.

Oscar Clifford Moon, R. R. James town.

Francis Joseph Lucas, Dayton.

Lawrence Cavender, Jamestown.

Harold L. Morrow, Columbus.

Peter C. Herr, Fairfield.

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EAST END NEWS

Mrs. Mozelle Stevens and Mrs. Bessie E. Hart, are attending the State Fair at Columbus.

Captain William Rountree will exhibit his African curios tonight at St. John's A. M. E. church for the benefit of the Soldiers' Comfort Kit Committee. Admission 10c. Everybody is invited and urged to attend.

Dr. C. A. Lindsay, William Smith, A. G. Powers and Charles Simms motored to Columbus this morning to attend the State Fair. They will return tomorrow.

Third Baptist B. Y. P. U. and Sunday school will serve a social on the lawn at the rear of their church next Saturday afternoon and evening.

St. John's A. M. E. Sunday school will not have its picnic tomorrow, should it rain today, on account that the grounds will be too wet.

Rosenwald club will have its annual meeting tonight at 8:30. All members requested to be present.

Mrs. John F. Mathew of Tallahassee, Fla., has been the guest for a few days of Mrs. and Mrs. J. J. Turner. Mrs. Mathew's husband is secretary of A. and M. College, at Tallahassee, of which A. A. Turner has the government position of Florida state agricultural superintendent of the college. Mr. Turner's son, Cyrus Lowell, accompanied Mrs. Mathew to Wilberforce, where he will spend most of the fall with his uncle, Cyrus, and grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Turner. Upon leaving Xenia Mrs. Mathew went to Camp Sherman, Steubenville and Obelin, for an extended visit.

British Empire.
Great Britain comprises England, Scotland and Wales, all parts of one island, and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland includes Ireland as an addition. The British empire consists of all these and India, the colonies, other islands, protectorates and dependencies.

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THEATERS

Biju.

A picture that ranks high in the long list of photoplay gems in the crown of Artercraft releases, comes to the Biju theater, Friday and Saturday, when Geraldine Farrar, appears in the Lasky production "The Devil Stone."

The story has been dramatized by Jeannie MacPherson and has been produced with Miss Farrar's charming matinee-idol leading man Wallace Reid, in the role opposite her, and that devil satellite, Hobart Bosworth occupying a prominent position in the cast. Others mentioned are Tully Marshall, who has starred in many a production, James Neill, Ernest Joy, Mabel Van Buran and others.

Orphium.

Margery Wilson with a notable cast is in the production of the Triangle feature play "Old Loves for New" which plays at the Orphium Friday.

The two extremes of luxury and hardship are pictured in this photoplay, which ends with an active climax in a man-battering, hell-and-hurricane, fist fight that establishes the true love of a wayward wife. The cast includes Blanche Gray, George Pearce, Lee Hill, Irene Hunt, Leo Willis, Pete Morrison and Lee Phelps. Another Lyon-Moran comedy will also be shown.

SCHOOLS TO OPEN

The schools of supervision district No. 3 will open as follows:
Jamestown, Monday, September 2.
Silvercreek, Monday, September 2.
Jefferson, Monday, September 2.
Cesarocreek, Monday, September 2.
New Jasper, Monday, September 2.

Assistant Police Chief Joe Day has returned from his vacation and Patrolman Charles Simms is now on his annual leave of two weeks. Officer Graham has taken Officer Simms' place on the street at night, and Officer Day is doing day duty.

A representative showing of HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX SUITS, ranging in price from \$22.50 to \$45.00.

Strictly all wool fabrics.

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Dangers of Procrastination

Those who need insurance need it now. THE EQUITABLE in 1917 declined to insure 7,659 persons, most of whom could have secured policies if they had not procrastinated. And during the year it paid a number of claims where the policies had been in force less than a year.

ITEMS FROM THE 58TH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

Assets, December 31, 1917	\$576,837,343
Insurance Reserve	\$471,914,234
Other Liabilities	13,620,304
	485,534,538

Surplus Reserves:	
For Distribution to Policyholders in 1918	\$ 16,065,192
Awaiting apportionment on deferred dividend policies	63,592,355
For Contingencies	11,645,258
	\$ 91,302,805

Outstanding Insurance	\$576,832,343
An increase over 1916 of \$147,779,327	\$1,754,868,908
New Insurance for the year	\$ 251,344,652
An increase over 1916 of \$41,637,644	
Payments to Policyholders in 1917	\$ 62,831,172
Total since organization, \$1,162,889,011	

The Mortality Rate in 1917 was the lowest for the last twenty-five years. CALL OR SEE

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MOTH-EATEN "DIVINE
RIGHT."

Lincoln was the friend of the
worker.

"Honest Abe" possessed a sym-
pathy broad as the earth, and an In-
ternational mind.

"I am for the man who wishes to
work."

"The strongest bond of human
sympathy, outside the family relation,
should be the one uniting, all working
people—of all nations, tongues and
kindreds."

"No man is good enough to govern
another man, without that other's con-
sent."

These utterances show where Abra-
ham Lincoln stood—and they show
where America stands today.

America is the friend of the worker,
the same as Lincoln was the friend of
the worker. If America isn't worth
working for, and fighting for, then no
country is.

America and all the world is mov-
ing up to the standard of Lincoln and
away from Hohenzollern.

Feudalism is making a last desper-
ate attempt to chain mankind.

Moth-eaten "Divine Right" is at-
tempting to stop the onward sweep
of Lincoln's democracy.

Either the Prussia Potsdam gang
must go—or all that Lincoln stood for
must go—the earth is too small to
hold both. Which shall it be? The
Hun and Slavery, or Lincoln and Lib-
erty.

The liberty of a people consists in
being governed by laws which they
have made themselves, under whatso-
ever form of government they may
be living.

Addison said: "What if life? It is
not to stalk about, and draw fresh air,
or gaze upon the sun. It is to be
FREE." Milton said: "Where Lib-
erty dwells there is my country." Pat-
rick Henry said: "Is life so dear, or
peace so sweet as to be purchased at
a price of chains and slavery? Forbid
it, Almighty God. I know not what
course others may take, but as for
me give me Liberty or give me death."

JUST CRITICISM NOT DIS-
LOYALTY.

The effort of democratic leaders to
tell the country that there is little dif-
ference between the democratic attitude
toward the war of 1861 and the
republican attitude toward the war of
1917, will not work. The democratic
complaint against the other was
one of fundamental hostility to the
wars themselves. In 1864, the demo-
crats voted the war a failure and de-
manded that it be stopped. In 1893,
the democrats endeavored to discredit
the American cause, hoped for the
success of the Filipinos and denounced
the government for not abandoning the
Philippines.

The republicans at this time be-
lieve in giving credit where credit is
due, and censure where censure is
due. It has no patience with the
theory that just criticism of civil offi-
cials in time of war is unpatriotic.
The people of Wisconsin passed upon
the issue in their senatorial election.
The people of the nation will pass
upon it in November. The voters will
resent the idea of seeking to cover
weakness or inefficiency with the flag
which it endangers. Proper and con-
structive criticism is not only the
privilege of the party which is in a
minority at Washington, but is its
duty as a party of opposition to hold
to strict accountability the party in
power.

LUMBERTON

Mr. James DeWitt is the guest of
his brother, Mr. Wm. DeWitt.

Mrs. Elmer Lewis is a little better
at this writing.

Mrs. Sallie Haley, of Washington,
Mr. Isaac Rambo, who is very ill,
spent the week end with her father,
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pond and son
Max, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.
Jacob Oglesbee.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Conklin and son
Maynard, and Mr. Harry Boring are
attending the State Fair at Columbus,
this week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Linkhart and
daughter Arthella, spent Sunday with
Mr. Elmer Lewis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Mason enter-
tained several of their relatives at
dinner, Sunday.

Miss Hattie Oglesbee is visiting
Cincinnati this week.

HIGH WATER TIES
UP PENNSY TRAFFIC

Traffic over the Pennsylvania
Lines south of Xenia was held up
since Tuesday night, when high water
resulting from a heavy rain, washed
out a small culvert on the main line
near Morrow.

The culvert was one that workmen
had been working on for a week or
so, and they were just ready to finish
the cement work when the high water
undermined the construction and
washed it out. Trains to and from
Cincinnati had to be detoured by way
of Dayton, causing a delay of about
an hour on all trains from the Queen
City.

Local work crews were among
those called out during the night and
worked all day Wednesday getting the
culvert ready for use.

LIBRARY NOTES

The Book of Revelation Not a Mys-
tery, by David Keppel. A brief
graphic and deeply interesting inter-
pretation of the Book of Revelation. It
is a most wholesome and timely book
for all who would understand the re-
velation of the Apocalypse to the pres-
ent-world crisis.

My Lady of the Chinese Court-
yard, by Elizabeth Cooper. Kivei-Li,
the wife of a high class Chinese, here
writes of her daily life. The narrative
has the glamour of youth in an exotic
setting, suggestive of rare perfumes
and priceless fabrics. A young bride
under the old regime, secretly rebelling
against her despotic mother-in-
law, lonely because of her husband's
long absence in foreign lands—lands
that stir her curiosity and envy—she
represents the progressive woman of
China. It is a book that interests by
its portrayal of China, and no less by
its insight into human nature.

When The Prussians Came to Pol-
and, by Laura de Turczynowicz. This
is the story of an American woman,
the wife of a Polish noble, who was
caught in her home by the floodtide
of the German invasion of the ancient
Kingdom of Poland. It is a straight-
forward narrative, terribly real, of her
experiences in the heart of the eastern
war zone. How truly she was in
line of the German advance may be
appreciated from the fact that iron-
handed von Hindenburg for some days
made his headquarters under her
roof.

A Yankee In The Trenches, by Cor-
poral Derby Holmes. The actual life
of a soldier on the Western front in
bulletins, in the trenches, over the top,
across no-man's land and in hand to
hand conflicts with the Germans is
here vividly related by a gallant
young American, who fought in the
English Army, until, twice wounded,
he was invalided home. This is not a
book that depicts mainly the horrors
of war, for the lighter side is ade-
quately presented by this soldier boy.

A Traveller In War-Time, by Wins-
ton Churchill. The author has re-
cently returned from abroad and tells
the story of France and of England in
war time. He writes of famous
battlefields which he visited, of dis-
tinguished people with whom he con-
versed and of the spirit and temper
of the times. Not the least interest-
ing section of the volume is the final
one, entitled "The American Contribu-
tion and 'The Democratic Idea'."

Dere Mable: Love Letters of a
Rookie, by E. Streeter. For genuine
humor nothing written in recent years
surpasses them. Read the letters
and live with the Rookie through all
his amusements, through all his work,
live with him and laugh with him—
and at him.

The Enchanted Barn, by Grace H.
Lutz. Mrs. Lutz has an enviable fol-
lowing among readers who enjoy
spirited romances which are of a char-
acter that can be recommended to every
member of the family. This new
story is a particularly charming ro-
mance with a heroine as original as
she is courageous and high-spirited.
The actual world, as Shirley Hollister
proves, may sometimes bring to realiza-
tion the glorious dreams of youth.

Oh, Money! Money! by Eleanor H.
Porter. A bachelor wanting to see
what would become of his money de-
cides to give to each of three distant
cousins, whom he had never seen, a
hundred thousand dollars and then
appear among them as plain John
Smith and watch the result of his ex-
periment. "If you don't know how to
get happiness out of five dollars, you
don't know how to get it out of five
thousand." This is the keynote of the
story.

Telltale Count.

"I know I was not drunk," said a
woman charged at Brentford. "I
counted 13 buttons on the policeman's
tunic." As the constable was wearing
in court the identical garment, which
bore eight buttons, she was fined.—
Lloyd's News, London.

WATER SUPPLIED
TO XENIA IS PURE

That city water supplied by the
Xenia Water Company is pure and of
excellent quality, is proven by the
report received by City Health Officer
Dr. R. H. Grube from Deputy Com-
missioner James E. Bauman of the
State Department of Health.

The test was made by an assistant
engineer of the State Health Depart-
ment from samples of water collect-
ed August 13. The results indicate
according to the letter, that "at the
time of sampling the water supply
was of excellent sanitary quality." The
technical results of the examination
were enclosed in the letter sent
the local officer.

JAMESTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Long and cousin,
Mrs. C. E. Freshner, of Columbus,
spent Sunday the guests of relatives
in Clarksville.

Miss Letha Wilkerson, of Dayton,
is spending the week with friends
here.

Mr. Emory Sapp and daughter
Helen, of Wilmington, are guests of
friends and relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tomlinson and
son Frederick, were guests of friends
in Springfield, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Grace Sanders and son Rufus,
motored through to Loveland, Ohio,
Sunday to visit Mrs. Sanders' sister,
Mrs. Glass, and family. They re-
turned Monday, bringing back with
them Mrs. Botelhar and Katherine San-
ders, who have been making an en-
tended visit with Mrs. Glass.

Mrs. James Tull, of Cincinnati, was
called here Sunday by the illness of
her mother, Mrs. Palmer. Rev. Tull
came Monday evening and will spend
a few days.

The 5th District Church of Christ
Convention will be held at the Jamestown
church Sept. 10-11. Greene,
Clark, Clinton, Warren and Fayette
counties are all in this district.

Miss Susan McDorman, of Cincin-
nati, is the guest of her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Willis McDorman, for a
couple of weeks. Miss McDorman is
through with her Nurses Training
Course and expects to enter Red Cross
Work about November 1st.

On Wednesday of last week the
Peoples' Bank purchased the B. J.
Collins building on West Main street.
As soon as possible the building will
be remodeled into a modern banking
building.

Mr. Otto Thorp, who has been em-
ployed in Dayton, is home for a couple
of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Thee, of Cincinnati,
spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr.
and Mrs. L. S. Farquhar. The Misses
Haynes, who have been guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Farquhar returned to Cin-
cinnati with Mr. and Mrs. Thee Sun-
day evening.

Mr. Jack Riggs and Mr. Russel
Greenwald, of Dayton, were Sunday
guests of Mr. C. N. Smith and daughter
Lucy.

Mrs. C. E. Freshner, of Columbus,
is the guest for several days of her
cousin, Mrs. Bert Long and family.

Mr. Robert Ginn and his friend,
Miss Irma Zimmer, of Dayton, spent
Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A.
Zeiner and family. Mr. Ginn is a son
of Jess Ginn and a cousin of Mr.
Zeiner's.

Miss Ivan McClain entertained
Tuesday evening in honor of Miss
Helen Warwick, of Columbus, and the
boys and girls that are going away
to college this winter. About fifty in-
vitations were issued.

School will open Monday, Sept. 2.
The board has added to the high
school course both domestic science
and manual training. Miss Feaser is
to teach domestic science while Prof.
Arnold will teach manual training.

Mrs. Walter Shigley is spending a
week with her mother, Mrs. E. T.
Bales, of Yellow Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. George and fam-
ily are spending a few days with
Mrs. George's sister, Mrs. Houston
Cherry, of the Federal pike.

Rev. C. W. Horn delivered his final
sermon of the year last Sunday. Bap-
tism was administered to Helen Lu-
cke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. F.
Reeves, Pauline, daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Otto Thorp, and Odessa, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jenkins, of
Rosemore. Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins and
Mr. and Mrs. Hironamus were taken
into the church by letter.

Miss Gladis Conrey accompanied
Mr. Orlando Brown and family home
Sunday evening and will make a
week's visit with them.

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CLEAR THE STREET
WHEN FIRE TRUCK
IS MAKING A RUN

Fireman Charles Mahanna, driver
of the new fire truck, is making a
personal appeal to citizens.

It is his request to all drivers of
any form of vehicle to pull in to the
curb as soon as the fire alarm gong
is heard. The request of the firemen
is backed up by Ciner trucks, the
safety department and City Manager
Riddle.

The speed of the new motor truck
when answering a call will render it
impossible for the machine to avoid
striking a vehicle that is in its path.

Especially on street corners should
the truck be given a wide berth, as it
swings in a wide path when turning
the corner at full speed.

When the test of the truck was be-
ing made Monday, vehicle drivers
waited in the street until they saw the
truck almost upon them before giving
it the right of way. Others paid no
attention to the gong and did not
make way for the department until
they heard the siren.

If everyone starts to get out of the
way to clear the street as soon as the
gong sounds, there will be no trouble
or danger of accidents.

O, WHERE'S MY LITTLE
LADDIE

(Toronto Mail and Empire)
O, where's my little laddie,
Dear God? 'Twas yesterday
I heard his merry laughter
Around my knees at play.

He ran, his face a-shining
With gladness of the morn,
To find his flower-fairies—
The poppies in the corn.

And there, with sweet lips parted
As if about to speak,
I found by laddie sleeping,
His hand beneath his cheek.

Somewhere the lark is singing,
Somewhere in France today,
Somewhere among the flowers
The little children play.

Perhaps the poppies spreading,
Have made a blossom-bed;
Perhaps they bend caressing
His tired curly head.

The winds blow from the eastward;
If they could only speak,
And tell me he is sleeping,
His hand beneath his cheek.

Sometime it will be morning,
As it was yesterday;
Around me in its gladness,
Will ring his laughter gay.

And then, to follow fancies
That childhood playtime lends,
He'll seek the hiding poppies—
His flower-fairy friends.

And there with sweet lips parted,
As if about to speak,
I'll find my laddie sleeping,
His hand beneath his cheek.

CORPHIUM

TO-NIGHT

"BRAVE AND BOLD"

Fox Five-Reel Comedy Drama, featuring George Walsh,
Mabel Bunyea and an all star cast. A thrilling and humor-
ous story of a Billion and a Girl.

"Hearst-Pathe" News, One Real Feature.

"Too Many Crooks," one Reel Comedy to start Show.

FRIDAY NIGHT

"OLD LOVERS FOR NEW."

Triangle Five-Reel Western Comedy drama, featuring Mar-
gery Wilson, Lee Hill, Irene Hunt and an all star cast. Story
—Woman on Western ranch living a primitive life deals
with the eternal struggle of the man she loves.

"Hearst-Pathe News," one Real Feature.

"Lyons-Moran" Star Comedy—One Reel to Start the Show.

PROF. GEO. F. WOODSON, DEAN OF PAYNE THEOLOG-
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before 9 two or three met at the house too look at it. One got
the key and claimed he had rented it and would not allow
the others to see it. Another looked at the outside and be-
fore ten o'clock went to a phone and said he would take the
house and told where to call next morning for the rent.
Thursday and Friday applicants continued to call even after
the ad. had been taken from the paper.

If you have anything to sell, no matter how small or
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There is a message in this little reader
for every woman who finds her attrac-
tiveness marred, or who is looking older
than she should because of gray, faded,
streaked or bleached hair.
For she need no longer be dependent
on old fashioned "hair dyes" or so-called
"restorers." All she needs to do is to
get a bottle of the wonderful hair tinting
preparation "Brownatone" and devote a
few minutes to bringing back her youth-
ful appearance.

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bottle are so plain and easy to follow
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People

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The use of harsh cathartics aggravates the trouble
and makes the constipation worse. Chamberlain's
Tablets are a favorite with people of middle age
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Chamberlain's Tablets

Change of Ownership Sale!

We have on hand a large quantity of first-class smoked
meats, consisting of Sugar Cured Bacon, Salt Smoked Ba-
con, Dry Salt Bacon, Country Bacon, Smoked Jowl, Salted
Jowl, Cala Hams (sugar cured), Brick Cheese, Cottage
Hams. This stock must be sold before September 1, when
new owners takes charge. Therefore we offer for

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY THESE GOODS AT COST

Fat Bacon, (salt smoked) by side or half side,	31c
Per Pound	
Dry Salt Bacon by side or half side,	28c
Per Pound	
Smoked Jowl, (sugar cured) 2 to 4 lb. pieces	25c
Per Pound	
Breakfast Bacon (sugar cured) by side or half side	33c
Per Pound	
Salted Jowl by piece,	24c
Per Pound	
Sugar Cured (Cala Hams) 4 to 8 lbs each	24c
Per Pound	
Sugar Cured Hams, regular price 37c, at	34c
Per Pound	
Cottage Hams (boneless) by piece,	33c
Per Pound	
Brick Cheese (by whole brick) 4 to 5 lbs.	33c
Per Pound	
Frankfurters, Weiners, Sausages and Bologna,	25c
Saturday we sell at the old price of per lb.	

ALL FRESH MEATS AT REGULAR PRICES.
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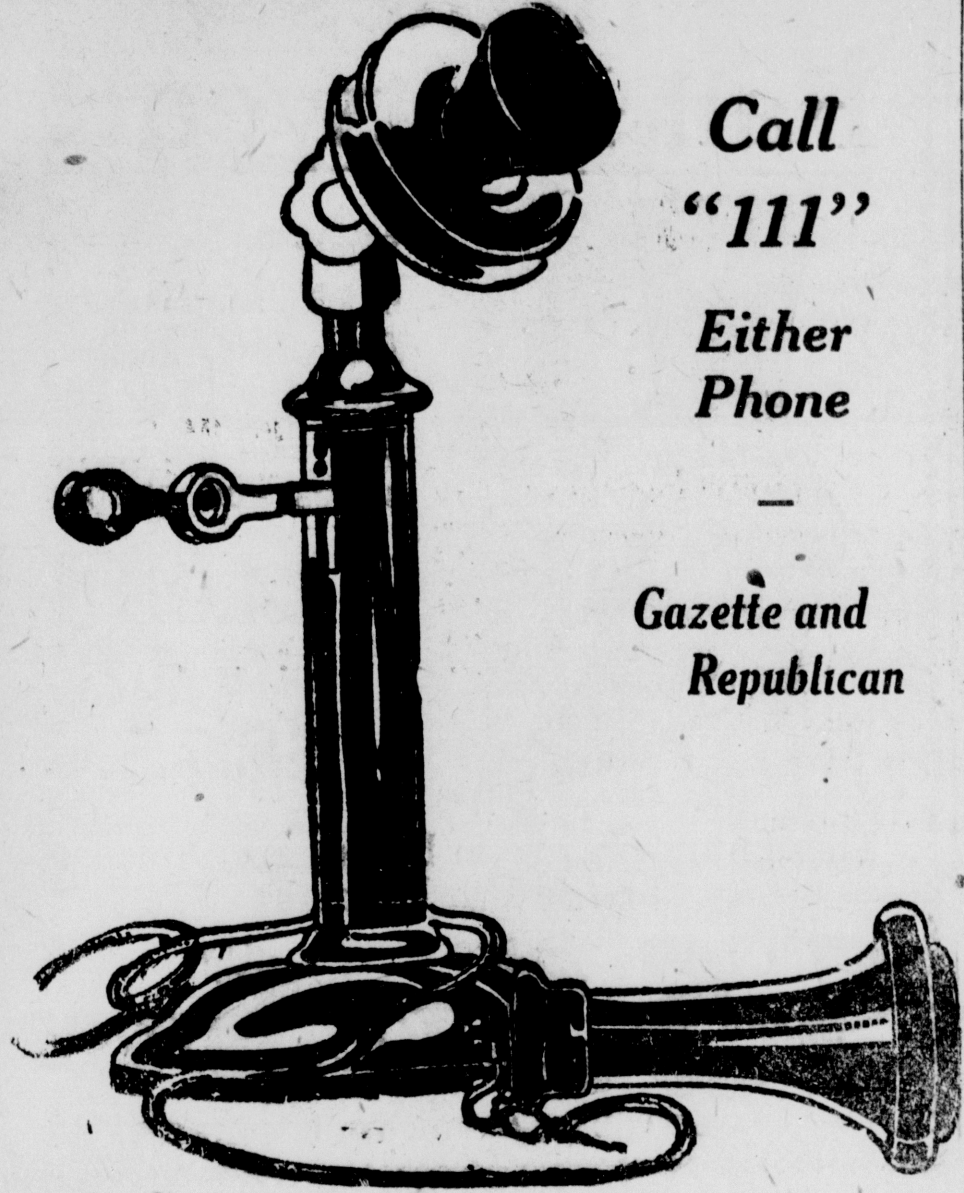
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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Rubber tire phaeton; good as new. Call 141 E. Market St. Red Cit. 8-31

FOR SALE—Stone tomatoes, for canning. Call 1018-21. C. C. Evans. 8-31

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 115 N. Detroit St. Bell 11-W. Citz. 505. 8-31

FOR SALE—Three Chester White brood sows, due to farrow in September. Samuel Kneel, lower Bellbrook pike. Bell phone 4022-12. 8-31

FOR SALE—Tanned fodder, yarn; 15c per pound; for tying fodder, 17 Cts. Cincinnati ave. Bell 144. 8-31

FOR SALE—Grapes and tomatoes. Call 501-W2 Bell. J. S. Wead. 8-31

FOR SALE—Sterling tires, 6,000 mile guarantee; free repairs 10 per cent. off next 10 days. 127 S. Detroit St. 9-2

FOR SALE—Fine sow, with eight pigs. Call 497 Blk Citizens' phone, or 16 Mulberry street. 8-30

FOR SALE—Seven foot steel roller, good as new; cheap if sold soon; power washing machine, only used short time. Fred McClain, Bell phone. 8-30

FOR SALE—15 head of yearling and two year old Delaine Merino ewes; good ones. W. H. Creswell, Cedarville, O. Phone 3 on 102. 9-2

FOR SALE—Cheap, bed springs and mattresses, chairs and center table. 31 East Third street. Bell phone 496-W. 8-30

FOR SALE—25 Poland-China shoats; weight 25 pounds. Bell 1030-R4. Jos. T. Hutchison, R. R. No. 3. 8-30

FOR SALE—1,500 bushels good corn. Joe Pitstick, 10 miles east of Xenia, on Federal pike. 9-2

FOR SALE—Two year old Shorthorn bull, registered John Atkinson, R. 4, Xenia. Citz. 2-825. 8-29

HOUSES for sale. \$25 down, then small monthly payments. Harbine, Allen Building. Sept 23

HOUSES in Xenia for sale. Reasonable prices. Ask particulars. Harbine, Allen Building. Sept 23

BUSINESS income property in heart of Xenia. Harbine, Allen Building. Sept 23

PIANOS, prices \$80 to \$200, on small monthly payments. Harbine, Allen Building. Sept 23

232 ACRE FARM, near Spring Valley. \$80 per acre. Harbine, Allen Building. Sept 23

FOR SALE—Pickles. Call C. M. Fulkeron, Spring Valley, O. Bell 39-X. 9-2

FOR SALE—One Indiana silo, size 10x26. Huston-Bickett Hardware Co. 8-30

FOR SALE—Just received, another car of fence. Huston-Bickett Hardware Co. 8-30

FOR SALE—10-18 tractor and plows; cheap in good shape. N. A. Kirsh, Jamestown. Sept 15

FOR SALE—All kinds of cook stoves, wood or coal, also gas ranges, and gasoline stoves. All kinds of stove repairs. Andy Priol Secondhand store Third street, two doors west of Detroit. 4-81

REAL ESTATE

FARM FOR SALE—An 18 A. country home; 2 m. Xenia; one of the finest farms, every way, on the market near Xenia. Must sell by Sept. 1st. Cuzis. 8-31

REAL ESTATE AND LOANS—Notes bought. John Harbine, Jr., Allen Building, Xenia, Ohio. 8-31

WOM C. LONG—Real estate and insurance. Will buy or sell your property, or loan you money. It will pay you to see me. Office 17 South Detroit St. Gazette Building. Both phones. 6-11

JOHN W. PRUGH, "The Real Estate Man," will buy or sell your property. Money to loan. Twelve years of successful business. A square deal. Office No. 6 North Detroit St. Both phones. 6-11

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE—Loans, securities. 65 to 75 farms listed. 35 years' experience in business. Automobile service free. D. McConnell & Co., Gazette Building, second floor. Bell phone 1035. 8-31

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—Set of tool checks on key ring, number 5401. Between Dayton and Xenia. Leave at his office. 8-31

LOOK! LOOK!—Fall suits to measure. Suits, \$18.50; pants, \$4.75. See me, before ordering your fall suit. Ed Pressinger, 30 W. Main St., upstairs, over Scott's. 8-31

LOST—Field artillery service pin, at Kilkare park. Thursday. Finder please call Bell 4039-20. 8-31

LOST—Fisk casing, 3 1/2x30, on fair ground or Valley road. Reward. Call L. E. Dayton Power and Light Co., Xenia District. 8-31

LOOK—Save your wool. Bring in your last fall suit, have it cleaned, pressed, repaired neatly. Prices reasonable. Ed Pressinger, 30 West Main St., upstairs. 8-31

DEAD STOCK WANTED—We will pay positively the highest prices for prompt attention given to all calls. The George Spencer Fertilizer Co., Bell 171-R. Citizens 20. 8-24

FISHBACK'S New and Second-Hand Store, 635, 637, 638 E. Main. Buy and sell Clothes, Stoves, Furniture, Carpets, etc. Citizens' phone G-334. f-s-m-tf 8-30

FOR AUCTIONEERING—Call on us at address, John H. W. Bell 1035. 8-31

SECOND HAND furniture, drop head Singer sewing machine, stoves, Harbine, Allen Building. Sept 23

LOST—Goodrich tire caliper on New Jasper pike, Clemens pike, Jamestown pike or Middle Jeffersonville road. Call J. R. Fitzpatrick, Citz. 1 on 539. 8-31

LOST—35x4 1/2 dreadnought casing and rim, also hub off Cole touring car. Reward call Breeze Bus Line, traction depot. 8-29

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. High School girls preferred; prices reasonable. Lida Maxey, 530 West Second St. 8-29

FOR RENT—Furnished room; modern. 137 E. Market. Bell 148-W or 875-R. 7-23

FOR RENT—Living room in Gazette bldg for man only. Call at Gazette office. 8-31

We Want Ladies

PLEASANT, EASY WORK.

GOOD MONEY

CALL AT ONCE.

W. & H. Walker Co.

BIJOU THEATER BLDG.

MOTORAIDS

There is no part of the car that plays such an important part, as regards the safety of the passengers, as the steering gear. Between the steering wheel and the front wheels, there should be little or no lost motion. This rule is not arbitrary, however. Some manufacturers design their car in such a way that there is a slight amount of lost motion, they claiming, by such means, the steering is made easier.

This amount, however, in any car should not be excessive, and is seldom over three quarters of an inch in the circumference of the steering wheel. Examine the steering column and be sure that it is not cracked or broken at any point. Be sure that the bracing and casting of the steering gear are not broken. The steering gear linkage should be carefully inspected and, if badly worn at any point, inquiry should be made relative to possibilities of compensation for wear at the various points.

EAST END NEWS

Miss Emily Pitts completed a summer course on the pipe organ at the Brooklyn Conservatory of Music last week, under Mr. Felix Deyo, one of New York's leading newspaper critics, and at the conservatory Miss Pitts studied harmony, technique, etc., at the conservatory, and she did much of her practice at the white Masonic Temple, where they have eleven big pipe organs. Prof. Deyo has given her two splendid recommendations, which will be of great value to her.

WANTED

\$50 TO \$75 PER WEEK

Wanted, man to take charge of our Xenia office. Call

W. & H. Walker,

Bijou Theater Bldg.
8-26tf

WANTED—Poultry; sell us your poultry and eggs. Highest market prices. Fletcher's Grocery. Citz. 30; Bell 499. 8-31

WANTED—Wagon men and ice pullers. Shawnee Refrigeration Co. 9-3

WANTED—Furnished room, centrally located, with modern conveniences, for gentleman. Address J. M. G. care Gazette. 8-21

LOST—Monday evening, gold pocket and chain, with "Hart's G. R. H. Finder call Bell phone 4030-W 11. 8-31

WANTED—To rent pasture for 50 head of cattle. Call Valley phone 50-2; Wayneville, Ohio. 8-2

WANTED—Colored night porter; must be reliable. New Martin Hotel, Wilmington, Ohio. 8-28

FOUND—At the fair ground, a pair of crutches. Owner call S. E. Bryson, Bell phone. 8-31

WANTED—Two roomers and boarders, in private family, modern. Cor. Church and Galloway. Citizen 584. Black. 8-29

WANTED—Girl for office work and reporting. Experience not necessary. Call City Editor at Gazette office. 9-7

FOR SALE—300 bushels of corn. Citz. 2-112. Geo. H. Creswell, Cedarville. 8-30

WANTED—Able bodied married men to deliver coal and ice. Must be sober and honest. References required. \$24.00 per week. Lake Coal & Ice Co., 409 Concord st., Dayton, O. 6-67

XENIA MARKETS

XENIA GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Corn, per bushel	\$1.55
Oats, per bushel	.60c
Wheat, per bushel	\$2.10
Rye, per bushel	\$1.50
Baled Timothy Hay	\$22.00
Mixed Hay	\$20.00
Clover Hay	\$18.00
Clover Seed	\$17.00
Straw	\$7.00
Eggs, wholesale	.34c
Eggs, retail	.45c
Country Butter, wholesale	.30c
Country Butter, (retail)	.35c
Oil-margarine, retail	.35c
Spring chickens (wholesale)	.24c
Spring chickens (retail)	.32c

XENIA LIVE STOCK

Corrected daily by Faulkner & St. John.

CATTLE

Good heifers	\$7.00@7.50
Shipping steers	\$9.00@10.00
Cows	\$6.00@6.50
Bologna cows	\$4.00@5.00
Veal calves	\$14.00@15.00
Spring lambs	\$15.00
Sheep	\$10.00@8.00

HOGS

Hogs	\$19.00
Sows	\$16.00
Stags	\$12.00@12.50

XENIA LIVE STOCK

Corrected daily by Muller Bros.

CATTLE

Shipping steers	\$9.00@10.00
Butcher steers & heifers	\$7.00@8.00
Cows, fat	\$6.00@6.50
Bologna cows	\$4.00@5.00
Veal calves	\$14.00@15.00
Spring lambs	\$15.00
Sheep	\$10.00@8.00

HOGS

Heavy hogs	\$18.00
Light hogs	\$18.00
Stags	\$12.00

THIRD DAY OF THE
TEACHERS' INSTITUTE
IS GREATLY ENJOYED

The Teachers' Institute opened its session Wednesday morning with singing by the Association, after which Rev. Charles Proudit of the Second U. P. Church, conducted the devotionals.

Miss Leach continued her subject on Story Telling. The story must bristle with the moral you want to teach. A good story teller must have these three qualities: 1. Acquire a sense of humor; 2. Make a collection of stories yourself; 3. Make each story your own, weave it around someone and then build it up. With the little child make your opening sentence a thunderclap; think about the suspense quality; select a story with a splendid climax. The greatest teacher in all the world always told his stories in a simple manner. Make the child a good listener, as a good listener always is a good talker. The story gives the child the opportunity to stand upon his feet and express his thoughts. Children usually make verb errors, pronoun and adverbial errors and colloquialisms, and the teacher must hit these hard. Create a situation for the story and also a motive.

Miss Dorothy Oglesbee of Cedarville favored us with two beautiful solos at this time, which were greatly appreciated by the Association.

Dr. Hulley finished the last lecture of the series on the Constitution. The operation of the constitution was given by him as the closing subject. The constitution has been written and our government started under it. Philadelphia was the seat of government.

Following this came the eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth amendments. The last three amendments named gave the Negro freedom, citizenship and the franchise. Dr. Hulley also brought out in this address the Louisiana Purchase, Monroe Doctrine, Missouri Compromise and the Dred Scott case.

Noon intermission was followed by the address of Miss Leach, on the "Aim of Geography." When this was over we must reorganize many things and especially the subject matter of geography. English and Geography have been poorly taught. Geography isn't a textbook, nor the piling up of facts. Isolated facts are cumbersome material to be carried around in our brains. The aim of geography is the interpretation of facts. A new view point should be had every time we teach. Geography should give concepts to the children and should begin in one's home environment. She closed her talk by reciting a poem, "The Geographical Child."

Miss Oglesbee again favored us at this time with two solos which were graphic Child."

Dr. Hulley gave the closing address of the day, on European History, this being the first of a series of five talks to be given by him on this subject. He told of the Roman people and their conquests, bringing out that the Romans were strong in war, but the Greeks surpassed them in intellect. The reigns of the great emperors, Napoleon and Charlemagne, were touched upon as was also the reign of Louis XIV of France. Finally, the revolutions, starting with the fall of the House of Bastille, then the revolution of 1830 and again in 1914. The result of these revolutions will be told by Dr. Hulley, Thursday.

One hundred and sixty teachers have enrolled to date.

OPAL BARNES,
Secretary.

SPRING VALLEY

Mrs. G. Val Sims is recovering after a week's illness.

Miss Laura Bailey spent the week end with Mrs. Earl Confer at Springfield.

Mr. James Osborn has returned home to recuperate after the serious automobile accident.

The canning actory opened last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Pim will preach at the Friends' church next Sabbath morning.

The Methodist Protestant Church closed for one year last Sabbath morning.

Little Grace Eagle is suffering with typhoid fever.

More than the usual number of people from this community are attending the State Fair.

Her Classification.

A trained nurse was taking care of Jack's grandfather. After having been in the family for some time it became necessary for her to leave and a practical nurse and Jack had heard his family discuss the difference between the two nurses. The next day Jack said to his teacher: "We have a new nurse at our house, half trained and half wild."

DAYTON MARKETS

Wheat—\$2.20 per bushel.
Corn—\$2.20 per bushel.
Oats—65c per bushel.
Rye—\$1.40 per bushel.

HOGS.

Receipts 4: cats, market steady, to strong.	
Choice heavies	\$19.75@19.85
Select butchers and pack	
ers	\$19.75@19.85
Heavy Yorkers	\$19.75@19.85
Light Yorkers	\$19.00@19.50
Pigs	\$18.00@19.00
Choice fat sows	\$17.00@17.50
Common to fair sows	\$16.50@17.00
Stags	\$13.00@15.00

'THE WIFE'

BY JANE PHELPS

The Head Clerk at Mandel's Instructs Ruth as to Her Duties.
CHAPTER XXII.

Ruth's lip quivered when she realized that Brian had gone without the usual caress, but she choked back the tears and went about her work. Now that she had planned to have someone to do the distasteful tasks, they seemed more hateful than ever. Someway, too, she could not hurry, but kept thinking of Brian, his displeasure. Finally she decided not to wash the dishes, but to clear the table, make the bed and do the dishes when she prepared dinner.

"I know I shall just hate to see them when I come home, but I haven't time to do them now," she said aloud as she looked at the clock. There was but an hour in which to dress and reach the shop.

Promptly at quarter to nine she walked into the door of the decorator's. Mr. Mandel had not yet arrived, so the clerk, an innocuous looking youth, told her—she found out afterward, that in spite of his looks, Jules La Monte was an expert in his line. She asked where she should put her hat, and then sat down to wait.

Just as the clock struck nine, Mr. Mandel walked briskly in.

"Ah, good morning, Mrs. Hackett," he said, then at once began to give La Monte some instructions in short terse sentences.

"He doesn't waste words," Ruth thought as she waited, quietly listening, until he should be at liberty to attend to her. But when he finished with La Monte, he added:

"After you attend to what is necessary, I want you to tell Mrs. Hackett something of her duties. She will—in as far as she is able—take Miss Candee's place," then he walked into the room with "private" on the door, closing it after him.

Ruth felt a little disappointed. She had supposed he, himself, would explain her duties. That he had relegated them to the clerk, made her feel that he did not think her worth while spending his time with. This feeling showed, of course, how little Ruth knew of business or its ethics.

"I shall be only a few moments, Mrs. Hackett," Mr. Mandel said as he turned from her. Suppose you look around until I return."

"Thank you, I will," rising, Ruth sauntered through the shop—rather, the street floor. They occupied two stories, but she did not feel free to go upstairs on her own initiative.

As she passed from one wonderful art object to another; as she allowed her fingers to touch caressingly the soft Oriental fabrics, she breathed a sigh of pure happiness and satisfaction. She had forgotten Brian's displeasure, she had even forgotten Brian was at the office came to her surroundings.

She had walked toward the front of the shop. Passing, was a man who reminded her of Brian. His walk, the set of his shoulders, his way of carrying his chin. She immediately felt guilty. She really loved her handsome husband, and that the beauty round her could cause her to forget him made her unhappy for a moment.

Then came the thought of the four little rooms—the kitchen with the soiled dishes in a pan, covered by a towel. All the sores of her life as she lived it during the day, when Brian was at the office, came to her, causing her to again regain her placid manner before La Monte returned to her.

"This way, Mrs. Hackett!" he led her to the elevator. "Most of your work will be on the next floor," he explained.

An exclamation of delight broke from Ruth as she stepped from the lift. Piled in what seemed confusion, were silks, and brocades, glorious colorings, wonderful weaves. The Orient had been robbed, it seemed to her, to supply these beautiful stuffs. And she was to spend her days here, in this place, instead of her dingy little kitchen. Her eyes filled.

"How lovely!" she murmured, blinking them back so that La Monte would not see her weakness. That he HAD seen, and seeing had said to himself: "She'll soon have Miss Candee's place." Ruth did not know until long afterward. An artist himself, he recognized the temperament in her.

Ruth listened carefully while he explained what would be expected of her. Often he led her on to express herself, and was surprised at her breadth of knowledge. He said nothing of this to her, however. Yet when more than once, she had, in speaking of some article, placed the period at once, he had been surprised.

Before he left her she showed her a desk, which was to be her very own. Then he left her, laying down the plan of a room to be decorated (an order received that morning) and a note giving her a general idea of the house.

Could Ruth have heard what he said when he reached Mr. Mandel's office, she would have been more than delighted; she would have felt a great pride.

"That Mrs. Hackett is a find, Mr. Mandel. She knows fully as much of the technique of the business as Miss Candee did."

"That is saying a good deal, La Monte, but you only confirm my opinion."

Tomorrow—Brian accepts the fact that Ruth is working, but is angry.

CATTLE.

Receipts light, market steady.	
Fair to good shippers	\$13.00@15.00
Good to choice butchers	\$12.00@14.00
Fair to medium butchers	\$10.00@12.00
Choice fat cows	\$9.00@12.00
Good to choice heifers	\$10.00@12.00
Bologna cows	\$8.00@10.00
Fair heifers	\$5.00@7.00
Bologna bulls	\$10.00@11.00
Calves	\$14.00@15.00

SHEEP AND LAMBS

Market weak.	
Sheep	\$8.00@12.00
Lambs	

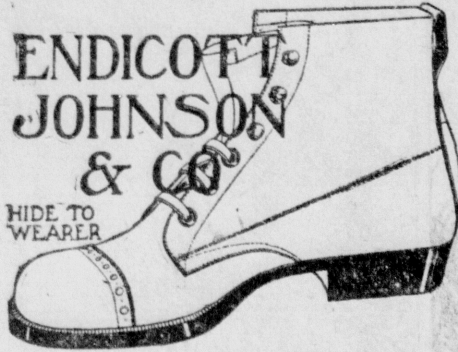
MOSER'S

Bargain Annex Dept.
SECOND FLOOR

MEN'S WORK SHOES

For Farm or Factory.
Good heavy Wax Calf,
Tan or Black, at a very
special price.

\$2.49



We have all sizes in these shoes

Walk a Flight Wait on Yourself Save the Difference

New Subscription Rates in Effect

Note Carefully the Change in Mail Subscription When Making Renewal

The Gazette and the Republican find it necessary to announce an advance in subscription rates to take effect on October 1, 1918. For nearly two years the increased cost of print paper, the advance in other material and labor necessary to publish a newspaper, have wiped out profits which should come from the publishing business. We have hesitated, however, in advancing the subscription rate, hoping that when the government adjusted the price of news print from the manufacturer to the publisher, the price might be something near what we were able to secure paper two years ago. This price has been established however, at a figure which will necessitate an advance in our subscription rate.

In addition to the increased cost of producing a newspaper, a new second-class mailing regulation went into effect, July 1, 1918, which increases the amount of postage the newspapers are required to pay to deliver the paper to the readers. This rate is different in the several postal zones, increasing with the distance from place of publication.

The new subscription rates will be scheduled as follows:

Address	1 Year
In GREENE COUNTY.....	\$3.50
Zones 1 and 2	\$4.00
Zones 3, 4 and 5.....	\$4.50
Zones 6 and 7.....	\$5.00
Zone 8 (includes A. E. F.)	\$5.50

No advance subscriptions will be received at the old rate after August 22, 1918.

OUR FIRST BATH TUB

Bathtubs are so common today that it is almost impossible to imagine a world without them. And yet the first American bathtub was installed and dedicated so recently as December 20, 1842.

Adam Thompson, was a Cincinnati dealer in cotton and grain. His trade frequently took him to England, where he acquired the habit of bathing.

The bathtub was then still a novelty in England. It had been introduced in 1828 by Lord John Russell and its use was yet confined to a small class of enthusiasts. Moreover, the English bathtub, then as now, was a puny and inconvenient contrivance—little more, in fact, than a glorified dishpan—the filling and emptying required the attendance of a servant. Taking a bath, indeed, was a rather heavy ceremony, and Lord John, in 1835 was said to be the only man in England, who had yet come to doing it every day.

Thompson, who was of inventive fancy—he later devised the machine that is still used for bagging hams and bacon—conceived the notion that the English bathtub would be much improved if it were made large enough to admit the whole body of an adult man, and if its supply of water were admitted by pipes from a central reservoir and run off by the same means.

There was then of course, no city water, supply, at least in that part of the city, but Thompson had a large well in his garden and he installed a pump. This pump, which was operated by six negroes, much like an old-time fire engine, was connected by a pipe with a cypress tank in the garret of the house, and here the water was stored until needed. From the tank two other pipes ran to the bathroom. One carrying cold water, was a direct line. The other, designed to provide warm water, ran down and was coiled in the corner of the great chimney in the kitchen.

The tub itself was of new design and became the grandfather of all the bathtubs of today. Thompson had it made by the leading Cincinnati cabinet maker, and its material was Nicaraguan mahogany. It was nearly seven feet long and fully four feet wide. To make it watertight the interior was lined with sheet lead, carefully soldered at the joints. The whole contraption weighed about seventeen hundred and fifty pounds, and the floor of the room in which it was placed had to be reinforced to support it. The exterior was elaborately polished.

In this luxurious tub Thompson took two baths, December 20, 1842—a cold one at eight a. m., and a warm one sometime in the afternoon. The warm water, heated by the kitchen fire, reached a temperature of one hundred and five degrees. Christmas day, having a party of gentlemen to dinner, he exhibited the new marvel to them and gave an exhibition of its use, and four of them including a French visitor, Colonel Duchanel, risked plunges into it. The next day all Cincinnati had heard of it, and the local newspapers described it at length and opened their columns to violent discussions of it.

On the one hand it was denounced as an epicurean and obnoxious toy, from England, designed to corrupt the democratic simplicity of the republic, and on the other hand it was attacked by the medical faculty as dangerous

to health and a certain inviter of "phthisic, rheumatic fevers, inflammation of the lungs, and the whole category of zymotic diseases."

The noise of the controversy soon reached other cities, and in more than one place medical opposition reached such strength that it was reflected in legislation. Late in 1843, for example, the Philadelphia common council considered an ordinance prohibiting bathing between November 1 and March 15, and it failed of passage by but two votes. During the same year the legislature of Virginia laid a tax of thirty dollars a year on all bathtubs that might be set up. In Hartford, Providence, Charleston and Wilmington, Delaware, special and very heavy water rates were levied upon those who had them. Boston early in 1845, made bathing unlawful except upon medical advice, but the ordinance was never enforced and in 1863 it was repealed.

The zinc tub was devised by John F. Simpson, a Brooklyn plumber.

After this medical opposition began to collapse and among other eminent physicians, Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes declared for the bathtub.

But it was the example of President Millard Fillmore that gave the bathtub recognition and respectability in the United States. He visited Cincinnati on a stump tour, was entertaining in this house and took a bath in the tub. Experiencing no ill effects, he became an ardent advocate of the new invention and on succeeding to the presidency at Taylor's death, instructed his secretary of war, General Charles M. Conrad to invite tenders for the construction of a bathtub in the White House.

The elder Bennett, in the New York Herald, charged that Fillmore really aspired to buy and install in the White House a porphyry and alabaster bath that had been used by Louis Philippe at Versailles. But Conrad, disregarding all this clamor, duly called for bids, and the contract was presently awarded to Harper & Gillespie, a firm of Philadelphia engineers, who proposed to furnish a tub of thin cast iron, capable of floating the largest man. It was installed in 1851 and remained in service in the White House until the first Cleveland administration.

BYRON

Mr. and Mrs. John Shuey, of Dayton, spent Sunday with Delmar Harner and family.

Miss Georgeanna Long, of near Enon, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dignam.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kyle and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kyle, of Dayton.

Miss Miriam Harner spent a few days last week with Miss Ethel Carlisle, of Yellow Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Batdorf, son Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harner spent the week-end at Russell's Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Linebaugh are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter.

Misses Ethel and Goldie Miller, of West Alexandria, are spending a few weeks with relatives here.

Miss Nellie Pierstine is staying with her sister, Mrs. Fred Kendig, in Dayton.

Mrs. Annie Harper and children and Quinby Jones, of near Dalton, Misses Bertha and Cora Harris were the guests Tuesday of L. B. Harner and family.

PLEASANT SURPRISE

Quite a pleasant surprise was given Roxie Strong of the Mt. Tabor neighborhood, Saturday evening, Aug. 24, the occasion being her birthday. The evening was spent in games and music. Refreshments of candy and fruit were served. Those present were: Bessie and Gladys Eyer, Jessie Beal, Pearl Hollingsworth, Eva and Cleo Jones, Mary Smith, Margaret Middleton, Lenna and Iva Hargrave, Dorothy Johnson, Reva Spahr, Glenna Dinwiddie, Jean, Maud and Roxie Strong; Messrs. Clarence Eyer, Roscoe Beal, Harvey Kite, Noel Johnson, Alva and Howard Brickel, Leroy Hollingsworth, Ray and Roy Griffith, Kenneth Elliot, Forest and Burl Strong; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harner, Mrs. Julia Beal, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Spahr, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Jones and family, William Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. James Jones and family, Mrs. M. A. Strong and grandson Ronald Atkinson.

XENIA CITY SCHOOLS WILL OPEN SEPT. 3RD

The schools of the Xenia City School District open Tuesday, Sept. 3. The increased enrollment of both the Central High School and the McKinley Junior High School have created a serious housing problem for the children of grades 1-6. For that reason congestion in some grades can be relieved only by some transfers between these buildings. No transfers to the Spring Hill Building from either of these schools in addition to those made last year are possible owing to railroad crossings, bad streets, etc.

A committee of the principals has worked out the problem of transfers and parents of children affected will be notified in writing, at once. When one remembers there were 174 more pupils in the local schools in September 1917 than in September 1916, and this growth all in the upper grades, with not a single addition in the way of new quarters, it becomes apparent the housing problem requires considerable "juggling."

The only change in the East End schools will be the housing of grades 4, 5 and 6 at the East Main street building, and the housing of the East Senior High School in the Lincoln school. It is expected the new six year high school plan (two years junior high and four years senior high) coupled with the new housing situation will make possible a growth of the colored schools in the upper years. The law compels attendance the first half of the year through school; attendance thereafter depends on good teaching, good housing and interest of parents.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. DAVID DEAN

Funeral services for Mrs. David Dean were held at the late home on North Galloway street, Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock and were in charge of her pastor, Rev. D. D. Dodds. Rev. Dodds read her favorite Psalm, Psalm 23 and he took for his text "To die is to gain."

Many beautiful floral offerings were received from relatives and friends. Burial was made in Woodland Cemetery the pall bearers being her son Clarence Dean, her son-in-law, Stanley Matthews, Ralph and Charles Dean, of Cedarville, Edwin Galloway of this city and Dr. Charles Galloway of Chicago.

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The papers have just been signed which gives the local concern the contract for furnishing the entire camp with milk and Greene County boys at the camp will have the pleasure of using "home-made" milk.

The milk was formerly supplied from Columbus, but Manager Work of the local company was able to convince the camp authorities that his company would be able to furnish a steady supply of high grade milk whereas the Columbus concern faced a milk shortage during the months of July and August.

Floyd Allen of the local company has been sent to Camp Sherman and will have charge of the distribution of the milk there.

The milk will be Pastuerized and shipped to the camp in iced cars and will be handled by Mr. Allen at Camp Sherman in several motor trucks.

LIEUTENANT AYRES HOME ON FURLOUGH

Lieut. W. Cassella T. Ayres arrived home this morning from Camp Pike, Arkansas, where he completed a course in the Officers' Training School. He is one of 107 out of 245 who received a commission. He had been assigned to duty at Camp Funston, Kansas, and will leave here about Sept. 3. He is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Ayres of East Second street.

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